

November 19, 2007

Hon. William Richardson Governor Office of the Governor State Capitol – Room 400 Santa Fe, NM 87501

RE: MUR 5440

Dear Governor Richardson:

On April 7, 2004, the Federal Election Commission notified you of a complaint alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act"). A copy of the complaint was forwarded to you at that time.

Upon further review of the allegations contained in the complaint, the Commission, on November 7, 2007, voted to dismiss this matter and subsequently closed the file on November 16, 2007. Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003).

If you have any questions, please contact Peter Blumberg, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Mark D. Shonkwiler Assistant General Counsel